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Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply to the Final Office Action dated December 1, 2006.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

	<u>Fee</u>	Small Entity Fee	,	
One month (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(1))	\$120.00	\$60.00	\$	
☐ Two months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2))	\$450.00	\$225.00	\$	
Three months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(3))	\$1,020.00	\$510.00	\$	1,020.00
Four months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(4))	\$1,590.00	\$795.00	\$	
Five months (37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(5))	\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00	\$	
Applicant claims small entity status. (See 37)	C.F.R. §1.27)			

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0521. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

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